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2/9/2021 9:08:12	February 9, 2021	Public Comment	Deborah Howard	Self	Thank you for your stated commitment to conducting as much as your business as possible in public. I do realize the members of the AIRC are on a learning curve. Those of interested in your work are also on a learning curve and want to become good partners throughout the process. The reality of living in Covid world we all have gotten used to participating in everything from our desks and computers. That is a useful skill to take advantage of as we move forward. Thank you.
2/9/2021 9:09:07	February 9, 2021	Public Comments	Sharon Edgar	self	Until there is a 24/7 portal for public comments, please assign a time for public comments in each agenda. This allows the public to submit input without having to attend a meeting.  Please provide a 24/7 website form for public comments that supports submission of documents. Also, please share public comments with the public.
2/9/2021 9:12:36	February 9, 2021	Public Comments	Sharon Edgar	self	Thank you for making public comments more available.
2/9/2021 9:13:41	February 9, 2021	Public Comment	Deborah Howard	Self	If we were not in COVID world and we attended the meetings in person - none of this log in information would be required. I am happy to have my name associated with my words, Just saying it creates a different standard for public input in virtual vs. in person meetings.  Thank you.  APPRECIATE so much you taking public input seriously and are considering leaving public comment open for the duration of your business meeting. Thank you. It is a meaningful commitment and lays a foundation for constructive discussion throughout hte work of the AIRC.
2/9/2021 9:23:30	February 9, 2021	Executive Director	Sharon Edgar	self	We can't hear you. Once the posting was put on the screen, the meeting video stopped. Please let us know what you discussed. Thank you.
	February 9, 2021	No specific agenda item	Diane McQueen	myself	If would be really helpful for the public to have a dialin number only. Many people in rural areas of the State don't have reliable Internet connection or their Internet connection is limited to a certain amount of available use each month after which it gets really costly. If we could just dialin in, in listen only mode that would really help a lot of people

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					As you go about learning (from former commissioners, staff, lawyers you know) these conversations should be reported back Commissioners must be cautious that you don't create a cadre of your own "Kitchen Cabinet" and not share those learnings.
					In redistricting you have to show your work. Like a math problem, getting the right answer is only part of the score. How you got to the right answer is equally important.
2/9/2021 9:29:29	February 9, 2021	Executive Director	Deborah Howard	self	If you invite one person because of their expertise, you do not have to invite all persons with expertise. Going forward with five commissioners calling the former staff - if they then chat with each other about those conversations - that is a violation of open meeting requirements.
2/9/2021 9:34:28	February 9, 2021	Census Delay	Deborah Howard	Self	The delay is census can be used to engage commutes throughout the state in this process. I encourage you to add this to your agendas and start framing out the opportunity for public testimony.
2/9/2021 9:37:02	February 9, 2021	3	Vianey De Anda		It's very important to us that the hiring process is as transparent and accessible as possible to the public for our input. We want to make sure that both the staff & the new ED will be truly independent & willing to work & listen to us, the community. Thank you!